

## **Rhoda O. Lewis Student Award**

The R. O. Lewis Student Fund of the George C. Frison Institute provides support to nontraditional undergraduate and graduate students who are pursuing a degree with a focus on archaeology at the University of Wyoming. The disbursement of funds will be by the Frison Institute Advisory Committee. Any request related to degree completion will be considered, including book purchases, travel to meetings, fieldwork, and lab work needs. Available funds will be determined and distributed on a regular basis (semester or yearly) based on income generated by the R. O. Lewis Fund share of the Frison Institute endowment.

1. Please submit a letter explaining the nature of your non-traditional status (such as: “I returned to school to study archeology after raising a family...” or “After a career in aerospace engineering I decided to pursue studies in archeology...” or whatever describes you status as a nontraditional student). Please discuss your reasons for pursuing archeology and the intended use of the award (such as books, travel to conference). 12 point font, double space, one page.

In your letter, include:

2. Your GPA.
3. Your status in the program (freshmen, sophomore...1st year graduate studies...).
4. Your career goals.
5. Other Awards and Scholarship, and amounts, you have been awarded over the past two years.

**Attach a letter of recommendation from one faculty member (half page, 12, point font, double spaced).**

Send all materials by April 7 to: Frison Institute, Department 3431, 1000 East University Avenue, Laramie, WY 82071 or email to Todd Surovell (surovell@uwyo.edu)